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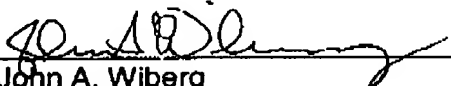
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In the Application of:

Jason Demas, et al.

Serial No.: 09/933,231

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Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD OF  
SEAMLESS SWITCHING BETWEEN  
A LIVE DTV DECODING AND A  
PVR PLAYBACK

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Sir:

This paper is submitted as an inquiry as to the status of the application identified above.

More than three years have passed since the filing of this application on August 20, 2001, accompanied by a post-card receipt. A Filing Receipt was received and an Assignment was mailed on November 21, 2002. The application was published on February 20, 2003. No further communication has been received from the Patent and Trademark Office indicating action on this application.

Kindly advise the undersigned of the present status of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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